

# Spring Gardening

## EXTRAVAGANZA

### Sustainable Gardening: Growing Green in 2016

We'll explore the practical aspects of sustainable gardening including natural gardening techniques, composting, using cover crops, and managing your landscape by selecting low maintenance plants and practices.



#### THIS YEAR'S FEATURE PRESENTATIONS

Climate Change and Northern Gardening

with Dr. Kenneth Blumenfeld

Garden Crop Genetics and Climate Change

with Dr. Stephen Hedman

#### DEMONSTRATIONS & DISPLAYS

Plant Propagation

Soils & Composting

Butterfly Habitats

Succulents for the Home

Taking Cuttings from Houseplants

Gardening for Kids

 and more...



#### BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Adapting to Climate Change

Controlling Garden Pests

The Year of the Carrot

Perennials for a Sustainable Landscape

Growing Warm Season Vegetables

Soil Science and Organic Fertilizers

Cover Crops: Nature's Soil Fertility

Family Gardening Fun

## April 16

9 a.m to 1:15 p.m.

Hermantown High School



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AP Cook Building  
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Milder winters and a longer growing season indicate a climate that is changing. How will this affect gardening in northern Minnesota? Extension Educators and St. Louis County Master Gardeners will show you how to get ready for some exciting possibilities and a few challenges. The day includes feature presentations, displays, demonstrations, breakout sessions, a printed resource guide, and refreshments.

**CONTACT US** Call 218-733-2870 for more info.

For descriptions of breakout sessions, directions to Hermantown School, and speaker credentials please visit [www.stlouiscountymn.gov/ext](http://www.stlouiscountymn.gov/ext).

**REGISTRATION** Please send the form below and your registration fee to the Extension Office - address listed above.  
Make checks payable to St. Louis County.

## *Spring Gardening Extravaganza 2016*

\$30 per person

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